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Applicant : Michael L. Whitehead
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PHASE MEASUREMENTS FOR RELATIVE
POSITIONING OR SLOW-MOVING POINTS IN CLOSE
PROXIMITY
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Examiner : Gregory C. Isssing
Docket No. : 4011
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SUBSTANCE OF THE FEBRUARY 11, 2009 INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicants sincerely appreciate the courtesy extended by Examiner Isssing at the interview conducted on February 11, 2009.

1. No exhibits were shown or demonstrations conducted.
2. Claim 48 was discussed.
3. The art of record was discussed.
4. The principle proposed amendments discussed addressed amendments to overcome the Section 112 objections.
5. The general thrust of the principal arguments was that the invention is patentable as a nonobvious method of determining a point location or position solution in a blocked-satellite condition.
6. The effectiveness of applicants' Rule 1.131 affidavit in overcoming a prior art reference was also discussed.

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7. The general results or outcome of the interview are reflected in the Interview Summary.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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